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This is in response to your letter dated November 7, 2008 that references ERIC PAC's October Monthly Report (9/1/08-9/30/08). Your letter states that the primary contribution ERIC PAC contributed to Bill Cassidy for Congress on 9/19/08 was made after the Louisiana-06 2008 primary.

Your letter states that the primary election date for the Louisiana-06 primary was 9/06/08. However, the FEC website lists the primary date as 10/04/08: See [http://www.fec.gov/pages/report\\_notices/State\\_Notices/laprim2.shtml](http://www.fec.gov/pages/report_notices/State_Notices/laprim2.shtml). (The Governor of Louisiana changed the date of the congressional primaries to 10/04/08 due to a hurricane.)

Therefore, the contribution from ERIC PAC to Bill Cassidy for Congress on 9/19/08 was made before the 10/04/08 primary election and reported correctly as a primary election contribution on ERIC PAC's October Monthly Report.

Sincerely,

Melinda Fowler Allen, Treasurer

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